

Docket No. 10644-0001-0 PCT  
IN RE APPLICATION OF: Bernhard SABEL, et al.  
SERIAL NO: 09/445,439  
FILED: February 23, 2000  
FOR: DRUG TARGETING SYSTEM, METHOD OF ITS PREPARATION AND ITS USE



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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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Responsive to the final rejection of July 9, 2002, please amend the above-identified application as follows.

IN THE CLAIMS

Please cancel Claims 88-100, 123-131 and 134.

REMARKS

Entry of this amendment and favorable reconsideration of this application is requested.

Claims 101-122, 132 and 133 remain in the case.

The claims stand rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 103(a) as being unpatentable over Canal (EP 486959) or Bernstein in view of Kreuter (WO 95/22963) and Jans (U.S. 5,759,580).

The interview kindly granted by the Examiner, Mr. Hartley, on October 4, 2002 is